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FOR: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE HAVING METAL SILICIDE FILMS FORMED ON SOURCE AND DRAIN REGIONS AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING THE SAME

## <u>AMENDMENT</u>

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated December 20, 2004, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.